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SUBJECT: MRS. PERON POSTPONES KEY APPEARANCE

1. MRS. PERON FAILED TO APPEAR TO HAND OUT TOYS TO CHILDREN AT DAY OF KINGS CEREMONY IN OLIVOS YESTERDAY (JANUARY 6) AND HIGHLY PUBLICIZED MESSAGE TO NATION VIA TV AND RADIO SCHEDULED FOR TODAY (DURING WHICH SHE WAS TO HAVE PRESENTED SO CALLED NATIONAL PROJECT) HAS ALSO BEEN POSTPONED.

2. POSTPONEMENT OF PRESENTATION NATIONAL PROJECT REPORTEDLY DUE TO SHARP DIFFERENCES OF OPINION IN CABINET AND AMONG HER TOP ADVISORS. LATEST ISSUE OF SEMANA POLITICA (LORENZO MIGUEL'S PUBLICATION) ACCUSES ROBLEDO AND LUDER OF CONSPIRING TO OUST PRESIDENT AND INDICATES ROBLEDO HIMSELF WILL BE FIRED. THIS COULD BE WISHFUL THINKING ON LORENZO MIGUEL'S PART, BUT IT IS NOTEWORTHY, GIVEN THE SEMANA POLITICA ARTICLE, THAT REPORTEDLY NEITHER ROBLEDO NOR VOTTERO WERE PRESENT AT CABINET MEETING EVENING JANUARY 5.

3. POLITICAL INFIGHTING DOES NOT, HOWEVER, EXPLAIN MRS. PERON'S FAILURE TO GIVE OUT TOYS. INEVITABLY, THEN, THERE ARE NEW RUMORS OF HEALTH CRISIS, MENTAL INCAPACITATION, ETC.

4. COMMENT: WHATEVER THE REASONS FOR HER FAILURE TO APPEAR
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AT THE TWO SCHEDULED EVENTS, THE RESULT HAS BEEN TO PUT THE

SKIDS, AT LEAST MOMENTARILY, TO MUCH BRUITED GOVERNMENT
EFFORT TO REGAIN INITIATIVE AND IMPROVE IMAGE.
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